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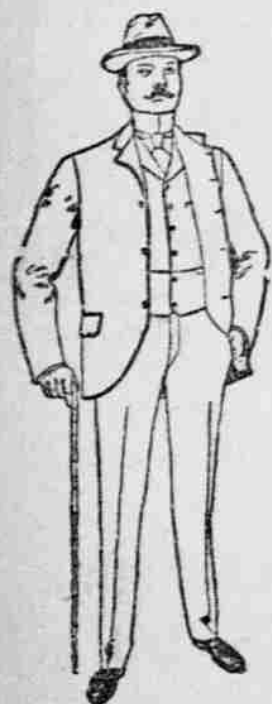
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**Iaukea's Election Contest May Use Up All Hawaii's Time in Next Congress Thus Side-Tracking Appropriations.**

(Mail Special to the Advertiser.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 20.—An agitation was started here a few days ago for putting a tax on coffee, which will concern the people of Hawaii, although those who are back of the agitation seem to have entirely overlooked the fact that their plan would enure to the benefit of the islands in the mid-Pacific. The stories, which were quite widely printed in the newspapers that subscribe to a certain press association, had their foundation in the desire of brewers and distillers to stave off any increase in their federal taxes.

If there is any one thing on which the brewers and distillers are tender it is the subject of increased taxation. They keep press agents here all the time to put out by cleverly devised channels all sorts of statements calculated to benefit themselves. One of the latest of these was, as stated, assurance that the House Committee on Ways and Means and the Senate Committee on Finance were going to give careful attention to "coffee and tea as taxable possibilities." But in making up their argument for this sort of a tax, which, as regards coffee, would please the Hawaiian growers, the press agents of the refreshment manufacturers devoted their argument to the prospects of developing a great coffee industry in Porto Rico and the Philippines. The possibilities of the industry in Hawaii were entirely ignored.

The work of creating a sentiment for that sort of a tax has been continued. The beet sugar interests welcome it, for they fear a reduction of the duty on goods from the Philippines and anything that tends to increase the revenues is welcomed by every interest that is content with the standpat policy. However, Chairman Payne, of the Ways and Means Committee, has recently been throwing cold water on the proposition to tax tea and coffee but the liquor interests are not discouraged by that. They are spreading their propaganda steadily and now claim to have two or three converts in the cabinet to the idea that a five cent tax on coffee would be a good thing. Others look upon the agitation as a first step towards revision of the tariff and think it should be

frowned on for that reason. Of course the Hawaiian coffee growers will be pleased at the brewers and distillers coming to their aid. If the tariff is opened up, the brewers and distillers it should be remembered, are mighty influential. They contribute large sums to Republican campaigns and only those who have contributed to campaigns, know how it is possible to move Congress when the days of legislation are at hand.

### TARIFF REVISION.

Very little is heard now about tariff revision, except this sudden discussion about tea and coffee. Everybody realizes that the country may be close to tariff revision, but the influences against it are tremendous and it is doubtful whether the President will want to fly in the face of those influences, nearly all of which are within his own party. Much as he wanted a reduction of duty on goods coming into this country from the Philippines and much as Secretary of War Taft, the former governor of the Philippines, wanted it, they could not persuade Congress to act. Of course the fact of a short session was against them and at the next session, which will be the long one, they may have better success. Possibly Hawaii and Hawaiian business interests would be more affected by that reduction in duty than in any general revision, or amendment—which is the term many of the administration leaders prefer.

The weight of opinion among the best informed people here is that there will be no extra session of Congress in the autumn, although the fine prospects of one has been and still is, more or less widely heralded. If there be no extra session of Congress, the prospects of any amendment to the tariff become fewer. At the same time, it is not safe to forget the President's well known views in favor of reducing duties on many highly protected articles. When he comes back here in the autumn, he may choose to renew the agitation for tariff revision, as he has done at least twice since he entered the White House. Each time he has started such a movement, the influential standpatters in Congress have set their faces stoutly against it and, by show of opposition, dissuaded him.

His counter argument next autumn, if one is necessary, will be the proximity of the congressional elections and the danger of such legislation, the workings of which the people will be unable to comprehend for a year or

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Mr. Haskin has already travelled widely and away from the beaten tracks. He was in Alaska during the adjustment of the boundary question; from there he went to Canada and then to Panama where he arrived immediately after the Colombian trouble; then he started down the west coast to Chile where he stayed for some weeks, thence circling the southern continent and visiting Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, Rio, Barbadoes, Trinidad, Cuba and Jamaica. Visiting Mexico he had a remarkable interview with President Diaz on the silver question. During the next few weeks he will be at work in Japan, China and the Philippines. His final letters will come from Russia.



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more after the law has gone into operation. The effect of the McKinley law will be cited as a serious warning.

Then the troubles the President has had with Congress this past winter, especially with the Senate, will be a deterrent. There is very close to a serious friction between the President and the Senate. The House, as always, is far more subservient to him but the opposition to tariff revision has a strong man in Speaker Cannon.

### ELECTION CONTESTS.

During the present summer the testimony is to be taken in the election contests inaugurated for seats in the House. These contests will be comparatively few and will present almost nothing of general interest, unless the contest from Hawaii should be prosecuted. It is almost an invariable result that the prosecution of a contest before the House degrades to some extent the constituency from which it emanates for which reason well wishers of Hawaii here hope that the contest against Prince Cupid will be dropped. Hawaii is having such a hard struggle to secure much needed legislation at the national capital and the political quarrels of the islands have already been ventilated here so much to the detriment of their best interests that there is a feeling of regret over any possibility of further turmoil. The Hawaiian constituency is in far different condition than any other constituency on the mainland, unless it be those in Arizona and New Mexico, represented by delegates, for all those constituencies have a direct claim upon Senators who are under political and other obligations to stand up for them in that branch of Congress. But the territories of Arizona and New Mexico have so many settlers from the states that forceful appeals can be made to Senators, far beyond what can be done in the case of Hawaii, good and true friends as Hawaii has in the Senate.

### CONTEST MAY BE COSTLY.

If Curtis P. Iaukea comes here with a contest it, like all election contests, is privileged matter and, also like all election contests, will take up a great deal of the time of the House. As things are now, time is grudgingly given for the consideration of territorial interests and those pressing for Hawaiian legislation would find themselves confronted with the objections that Hawaii's quota of time for the session had already been used in hearing a political squabble from the islands.

There can be no question as to the outcome. It is very, very rare that a Republican House seats a Democratic aspirant. It is still very far from the truth that the House votes on election contests after carefully considering the merits of the controversy. Politics largely control the verdict, simply because members do not have the time to go into voluminous testimony and, if they had that time, are under too much political stress to seat political opponents. Furthermore there is rarely an opportunity for the contestant of an opposite party from the majority of the House to be heard in any way that commands the attention of the House. Occasionally such a contestant, striving for a seat, is allowed to speak on the floor in his own behalf. But, as Asher Hinds, the trusted parliamentarian of the House for ten years and the best parliamentary authority in this country, said today, contestants are allowed to speak only by unanimous consent. In recent years it has become more and more the practice not to allow such appeals on the floor. If Mr. Iaukea should come here in his own behalf, it is as certain as anything could be that his voice would never be raised in the House. He could not speak in his own behalf, unless every member of the 385 consented, which means that some

friend of Hawaii on the floor would object and he could not secure the opportunity.

At this critical time for Hawaiian interests here, the raising of a contest is regarded as particularly unfortunate, not from the standpoint of any one party in the islands but from the standpoint of securing legislation of general benefit to the Hawaiians.

### ARMORY AND HARBOR.

Secretary Taft has written a letter to the Interior Department with reference to the armory site. He states that the War Department buildings on that block will be completed by June 30, 1906, and that there can be no objection to turning the remainder of the block over to the territory. The Interior Department thinks well of that statement, as affording a good site for the armory. The letter of Secretary Taft has been forwarded by the Interior Department to Gov. Carter.

Gen. McKenzie, chief of engineers, said this afternoon that there were no further developments yet in the preparations for the improvement of Honolulu. "We have speeded the preparations as much as possible," said he, "by issuing instructions to the officer in charge at San Francisco, but have had no report yet as to what is being done."

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